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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
(Small Entity)

Docket No. *Harbryn*  
UC98-194-2US 10/1/02

In Re Application Of: **ANDREW A. FRANK**

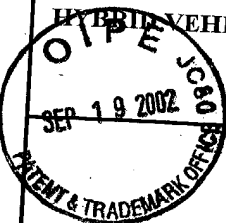
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Invention: **CONTROL METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE ELECTRIC**  
**HYBRID VEHICLES**



TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 05/20/02 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 08/20/02 until: 09/20/02  
Date Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$55 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

*Signature*

Dated: September 20, 2002

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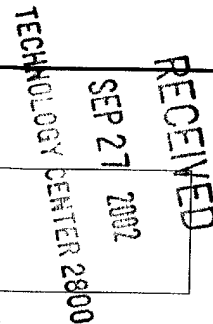
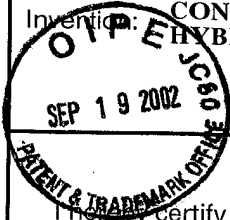
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